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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of November 6, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Rewrite the Abstract of the Disclosure as on the accompanying separate sheet.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 10, replace the second full paragraph, bridging page 11, as follows:

The bottom 7 has a flat rectangular shape, and the four side of the outer periphery are fusion-sealed to the lower end of the bag main body 2. The side films 2a and 2b have side tabs 6b at the lower ends thereof. The side tabs 6b are formed by folding outside the two sides 2c and 2d at a point on 126.00 CH

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